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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 23, 2008 please amend the above identified application as follows.